लिया गया है और इसके विस्तृत इंजीनियरिंग अध्ययन हेतु कार्रवाई शुरू कर दी गई है।

(ग) इस परियोजना की अनुमानित लागत 4500 करोड़ रू० है।

(घ) अभी से यह बता पाना कठिन है कि परियोजना कब शुरू की जायेगी।

Routes operated upon by DTC

2522. MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of the routes presently being operated by the DTC in Delhi and on Inter-State routes;

(b) what is their frequency;

(c) what are the timings of their first and last trips; and

(d) what is the progress made in the Resource Mobilisation programme by DTC?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) to (c) The details are annexed. (*See* Appenedix 170 ,Annexurt No. 53]

(d) DTC yet has no special resource mobilisation programme.

Agitations against the mismanagement of Indian Road Construction Corporation

2523. DR. BAPU KALDATE: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 840 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 8th December, 1993 and state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the report published in the Times of India dated the 30th October, 1993 regarding agitation against the mismanagement of the Indian Road Construction Corporation highlighting the irregularities;

(b) whether in the 16th Annual Report of the Auditor's adverse comments with regard to the payments made to local contact persons at Foreign projects in Libya, Iraq and Sana's (Roy) in foreign currency were made; and

(c) if so, what are the details of the action taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) to (c) The matter is being looked into.

Widening of National Highway

2524. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to widen the National Highway between Vijayawada and Nandigama into four lane;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what is the present status of the proposal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Widening to four lanes is contemplated in the reach Km. 252.00 to 265.00 between Nandigama and Vijayawada on National Highway No. 9.

(c) The project is yet to be sanctioned.

Compensation Scheme to road accident victims

2525. SHRI B. K. HARIPRASAD: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are contemplating to introduce any scheme for